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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Scott Borland

Application No.: 09/822,573

Filed: March 30, 2001

For: APERTURE PLATE AND  
METHODS FOR ITS CONSTRUCTION  
AND USE

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 7223

Examiner: Christopher S. Kim

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3752

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In connection with the above-referenced application, enclosed are translated abstracts from two non-patent literature documents that were previously filed in an Information Disclosure Statement on June 14, 2005. These references are as follows:

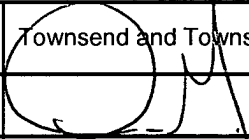
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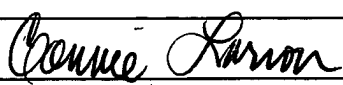
Hirayama, H., et al. "Ultrasonic Atomizer with Pump Function,"  
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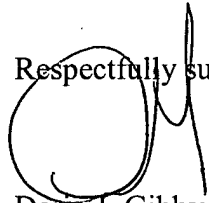
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**Located on Form PTO SB/08B at Cite No. C14:**

Maehara, N. et al., "Influences of liquid's physical properties on the characteristics of a multi-pinhole-plate ultrasonic atomizer," J. Acoustical Soc. Japan 1988, pp. 425-431, 44:6.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered and made of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,



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